

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: ISIS 4313

Applicants:	Crooke et al.	Confirmation No.:	3541
Serial No.:	09/479,783	Group Art Unit:	1635
Filed:	January 7, 2000	Examiner:	McGarry, Sean
Title:	OLIGORIBONUCLEOTIDES AND RIBONUCLEASES FOR CLEAVING RNA		

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 21, 2007, setting a three (3) month period for response, Applicants respectfully requests entry of the amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to July 21, 2007. Since July 21, 2007 is a Saturday, this response is timely filed, with two-month extension, on July 23, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins at page 2.

**Remarks** begin at page 10.